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**EXAMINING GROUP 2624**  
**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. 116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

Sir:

The following is in response to the Final Office Action mailed June 14, 2005, in the above referenced application.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required since this response is being filed before the expiration of the specified time period. Applicant, however, conditionally petitions